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SEARCH FOR MICRO-WAVE TOWERS VLADIVOSTOK-VOROSHILOV AREA

Search for micro-wave radio towers has been made on photography available in the Vladivostok-Voroshilov area. One previously unreported tower, less than 100 feet in height, has been located about 15 miles north-northeast of Vladivostok and 2500 yards east of the rail junction where the branch line to Artem and Nakhodka leaves the Trans-Siberian main line (see enclosed portion of Aeronautical Approach Chart 291 A I). The location is about 15 air miles from Vladivostok and 33 air miles from Voroshilov. The tower is a lattice type surmounted by what may be microwave fixtures. The presence of an accompanying small building cannot be definitely established. This tower may be one of a relay series linking Vladivostok with more northern microwave stations. The topography, as indicated on maps, would probably allow a line of sight from Vladivostok, and another to the hills east of the Sayfua river valley where a second relay tower might be located and linked with microwave facilities at Voroshilov. There is no photographic coverage for the hills where the second link in such a chain would probably be located.

Requirement: RR/HTA/E/S-4/57: Search for micro-wave towers on photography of the Vladivostok-Voroshilov area.

Photo Data:

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